

December 16, 2003

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Re: Application of Keiichi TAGUCHI and Naoyuki OKUMURA  
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS WHICH DETECTS JAM AND JAM  
DETECTING METHOD FOR THE SAME  
**Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION**  
Our Ref. Q78357

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising fifty-five (55) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and twenty-three (23) sheets of drawings. **The Requisite Government Filing Fee, copies of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.** Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>18</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u></u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>6</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>3</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$258.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b><u>\$1028.00</u></b>



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Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
JAPAN	2002-364177	December 16, 2002
JAPAN	2002-379388	December 27, 2002
JAPAN	2003-006584	January 15, 2003

The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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